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C O N F I D E N T I A L KHARTOUM 0990

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: SUDANESE COMMUNIST STUDENT ACTIVITIES DURING
NIMEIRI'S VISIT TO IRAQ

REF: KHARTOUM 0921

1. WE HAVE ON WHAT WE BELIEVE TO BE RELIABLE AUTHORITY
A REPORT THAT PRIOR TO PRESIDENT NIMEIRI'S ARRIVAL IN
BAGHDAD EARLIER THIS MONTH (REFTEL), SUDANESE STUDENTS,
MOST OF WHOM BELIEVED TO BE COMMUNISTS, OCCUPIED SUDANESE
EMBASSY IN BAGHDAD AND PREVENTED SUDANESE AMBASSADOR FROM
MEETING NIMEIRI AT AIRPORT. IRAQI AUTHORITIES REPORTEDLY
TOOK TOUGH STAND AND STUDENTS ACCEDED TO DEMANDS THAT THEY
LEAVE EMBASSY.

2. COMMENT: NO MENTION OF THIS REPORTED EVENT HAS APPEARED
IN KHARTOUM PRESS, AND WE ASSUME IRAQI AUTHORITIES EQUALLY
CAPABLE OF PREVENTING NEWS FROM BEING REPORTED. QUITE
POSSIBLE THAT EVENT LENT FERVOR TO NIMEIRI'S APRIL 14
PUBLIC CONDEMNATION OF (KHARTOUM 0936).

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3. UNRELATED TO THE ABOVE, PRESS REPORTS APRIL 20 ARRIVAL

KHARTOUM OFIRAQI MINISTER STATE DR. ABDUL SATTAR AL
JAWARI, CARRYING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT AL BAKR TO NIMEIRI.
JAWARI TOLD PRESS IRAQ CONTACTING ARAB LEADERS ON ISSUE
OF EUPHRATES WATERS. (WE HAD ORIGNALLY HEARD SPECIAL
ENVOY EXPECTED APRIL 17 BUT HAD INEXPLICABLY FAILED TO APPEAR.)
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